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CLERK: Mr. President, Education reports LB 290 advanced to General File, 419 to General File with committee amendments attached, 332 is indefinitely postponed, 437 Indefinitely postponed, 618 Indefinitely postponed. All signed by Senator Vickers.

Mr. President, your committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 94 correctly Engrossed, 173 correctly Engrossed, 207, 476, 538 all correctly Engrossed, all signed by Senator Rod Johnson.

Senator Chronister would like to print amendments to LB 336.

Mr. President, I have an Appropriation Committee amendments to be printed in the Journal on the Appropriation bills, LB 628, 608, 629 and 617.

Mr. President, 319, there are E & R amendments have been adopted. There was an amendment offered by Senator Schmit, Wesely, DeCamp and Labedz that was adopted. I now have a motion from Senator Hoagland, Mr. President. Senator Hoagland in the Chamber?

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Hoagland, are you about?

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Barrett would move to amend the bill.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Barrett, are you ready on your amendment to LB 319?

SENATOR BARRETT: Yes, Mr. President and members. I filed an amendment which is not a frivolous effort to essentially delete the Donnelley amendment to LB 319 which was attached some ten days to two weeks ago. I think 319 at best is a little bit "iffy", at least from an employment security standpoint, which has been damaged materially by a very bad amendment. So this is an effort to simply delete what this body did ten days to two weeks ago. I think we have two divergent issues which have been melted together, by the committee, an unholy marriage between the two issues. It makes LB 319 as amended a little bit like a mule. It has neither pride of ancestry nor hope of posterity. The bill, as amended, will open the door to encourage others to come to this Legislature and ask for the same exemption as I suggested ten days to two weeks ago, encourage other groups to come and ask for the same exclusions. The employment security law as everyone in this body knows is simply an insurance program enacted to provide food and clotting and